

AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

Please replace FIG. 2 on drawing sheet 2 with FIG. 2a on replacement drawing sheet 2 and FIG. 2b on new drawing sheet 3. The remaining drawing sheets, namely original drawing sheets 1 and 3 – 22 have been resubmitted in final form, with original drawing sheets 3 – 22 being renumbered as drawing sheets 4 – 23.

REMARKS

This application has been reviewed in light of the Notice of Allowance mailed August 8, 2006.

In response to the Examiner's requirement for formal drawings, Applicant submits a clean set of drawing sheets in accordance with the requirements of the U.S.P.T.O. In order to facilitate identification of the numerous elements present in FIG. 2, the presently submitted drawing sheets contain FIG. 2a and FIG. 2b spanning across replacement sheet 2 and new sheet 3. Original drawing sheets 3 – 22 have been renumbered as replacement sheets 4 – 23.

Additionally, the Abstract has been amended to not exceed the maximum allowable length of 150 words and to conform to standard practices.

Further, the paragraph on page 11, lines 23 – 24 has been amended to properly describe FIG. 2a and 2b.

No new subject matter has been introduced into the disclosure by way of the present amendment.

CONCLUSIONS

If the Examiner should have any questions concerning this communication or feels that an interview would be helpful, the Examiner is requested to call Applicants' undersigned attorney at the number indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,



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